Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy

2009 Kentucky Agricultural Development Fund Regional Workshop

DRAFT AGENDA

- 1. Background
 - a. Overview of Agricultural Development Fund
 - b. Board Investment Philosophy
 - c. Staff: Compliance Department & Project Analyst
 - d. Role of the County Council Member & County Extension Agent
- 2. Programs Administered by GOAP
 - a. 2009 Revisions
 - i. 2009 KADB Policy Revisions
 - b. Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation (KAFC)
 - c. Projects
 - i. New Project application timeline
 - d. County Agricultural Investment Program (C.A.I.P.)
 - i. No individual "model programs" Investment Area Specific
 - ii. One Administrator per County
 - iii. Term limit on C.A.I.P.
 - iv. Cost-share limit Revisions
 - v. Annual Limit & Previous Funding
 - vi. Guideline Revisions
 - 1. Standard Revisions
 - 2. Investment Area Specific Revisions
 - e. New Investment Area
 - i. On-farm Energy Efficiency & Production
 - f. Additional Programs
 - i. Shared-use Equipment Program
 - ii. Pilot Farm Management Program
 - iii. Deceased Farm Animal Disposal Assistance Program
- 3. Administrator Responsibilities
 - a. Application Process
 - i. New Program (new grant #)
 - ii. Amendment to Existing Program (same grant #)
 - b. Fund Disbursement Process
 - c. Reporting Process
 - i. Deadlines
 - ii. Required Information
 - iii. Record Keeping & Forms Used
 - d. Reporting Examples
 - i. C.A.I.P. Summary Sheet
 - ii. Detail Reports
 - 1. General entry highlights
 - 2. Trouble shooting issues with reports, etc.
 - iii. Reconciliation & Completion
 - e. Questions & Suggestions for 2010 Revisions